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SUBJECT: FCIA COVERAGE STATUS IN JAMAICA

1. EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED REQUEST FROM BANK OF JAMAICA GOVERNOR BROWN FOR OUR INTERCESSION WITH THE FEDERAL CREDIT INSURANCE ASSOCIATION CONCERNING A DECISION BY FCIA DENYING INSURANCE TO ESSEX EXPORTS AND OTHERS ON THE BASIS OF JAMAICA'S "RESTRICTIVE CONDITIONS". FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF LETTER TO ESSEX FROM FCIA ENCLOSED IN LETTER FROM ARTHUR BROWN TO US.

2. MR. FERDINAND MAHFOOD, PRESIDENT, ESSEX EXPORTS...
DEAR MR. MAHFOOD:

QTE: WE HAVE REVIEWED ALL THE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION YOU SUBMITTED ON THE WEST INDIES SYNTHETICS COMPANY AND WE ARE NOT IN A POSITION TO APPROVE ANY COMMERCIAL COVERAGE AT THIS TIME. WHILE THE INFORMATION IS GENERALLY FAVORABLE ON THE BUYER, IT IS DIFFICULT TO PROPERLY APPRAISE THE EFFECT OF PRESENT RESTRICTIVE CONDITIONS IN JAMAICA ON THE OPERATION OF THE COMPANY.

OUR MANAGEMENT WAS GLAD TO HAVE HAD THE OPPOR-
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TUNITY TO MEET WITH YOU EARLIER THIS YEAR IN ORDER TO BETTER UNDERSTAND YOUR OPERATIONS. VERY TRULY YOURS, DONALD W. KENTLER, VICE PRESIDENT - UNDERWRITING UNQTE

3. PLEASE ADVISE.
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